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**PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney Docket No.

D/99198

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

In re application of: <b>Hinrich Schuetze et al.</b>						
Application Number <b>09/421,416</b>	Filing Date <b>10/19/1999</b>	Examiner <b>J. Fleurantin</b>			Group Art Unit <b>2172</b>	
Title: <b>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR QUANTITATIVELY REPRESENTING DATA OBJECTS IN VECTOR SPACE</b>						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>						
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining after Amend.	(3)	(4) Highest No. Previously Paid For	(5) No. of Extra Claims	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total Claims	<b>42</b>	Minus	<b>42</b> =	<b>0</b>	x \$ 18	<b>\$ 0.00</b>
Indep. Claims	<b>4</b>	Minus	<b>4</b> =	<b>0</b>	x \$ 84	<b>\$ 0.00</b>
Total Additional Fee for this Amendment						<b>\$ 0.00</b>

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Charge \$ 0.00 to Deposit Account No. 24-0025. An additional copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.21 and 1.136(a) (but not 1.18), or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 24-0025. An additional copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- ☒ A return receipt postcard is enclosed.
- ☒ Additional papers enclosed: Amendment

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Application of: Schuetze et al.

Appl. No.: 09/421,416

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Art Unit: 2172

Examiner: J. B. Fleurantin

**Title: System and Method for Quantitatively Representing Data Objects in Vector Space**

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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